MASSILLON, OHIO, MONDAY AUGUST 25, 1902

A FIGHT IN THE

Prisoners From Massillon the Ringleaders.

SECURELY LOCKED IN CELLS.

on a Charge of Highway Rob-Cause Sheriff McKinney and Deputies Much Trouble Ever part in many principal engagements. Since Their Incarceration.

Canton, Aug. 22.—David H. Weston and William Baldwin, who are in the county jail awaiting action by the grand jury on the charge of highway | One Feature of Labor Day robbery, alleged to have been committed in Massillon several months ago, started a melee among the prisoners about 8 o'clock Friday morning. Jailer Charles McKinney heard an awful scuffling in the jail corridor ASSEMBLY PREPARES PLANS about that hour, and looking in saw Baldwin and Weston and two other prisoners named Robert Fetter, sent | Miners of the Massillon District from Massillon for burglary, and Albert Willis, colored, sent up from Canton on a charge of false pretense, engaged in a free for all rough and tumble fight.

Telephone messages were sent to the sheriff's office and also to the police station. While the scrimmage was still on Sheriff McKinney, Deputy Sheriff Harvey Zaiser and Marshal Bour reached the jail. Marshal Bour, Jailor McKinney and Deputy Sheriff Zaiser went inside while Sheriff Mc-Kinney guarded the jail entrance. In a few minutes Weston and Baldwin, who are said to be desperate fellows. were locked up and the blind doors closed to their cells. Fetter sustained a slight cut over the left eye while both Baldwin and Weston were pretty well used up. They will be win is a one-legged fellow and uses a crutch, which figured in the trouble.

Concerning the fracas Jailer Mc-Kinney said: "Baldwin and Weston have caused trouble constantly since they were placed in the jail. They planned to escape several times but were frustrated. They even made threats to kill, and are desperate fellows. They bullied the other nine prisoners continually, calling them names and keeping up quarrels. Friday morning Baldwin's cane was leaning up against the water cooler and Fetter accidentally pushed it aside in getting a drink. Baldwin flew up and Fetter pushed him over as he reached him. Weston, the pal of Baldwin, then took a hand and Willis went to help Fetter. For a little while affairs were pretty lively and so I summoned aid before venturing in.

"In the mixup Baldwin's cane was broken and he attempted to throw an iron cuspidor at Willis. This was knocked out of his hand by another prisoner. Weston also made for Willis with a chair but did not succeed in landing. Outside of these two fellows the prisoners are all well-behaved and cause no trouble. Before now I threatened to lock Baldwin and Weston in their cells and I intend to keep them there until their cases are disposed of.

The convention of the Knights of St. George, of the district embracing the states of Ohio, Indiana and West Virginia, closed here Thursday evening with a banquet at the Barnett hotel. Toasts were responded to by Mayor Robertson, Thomas Filmer of Youngstown, who is the grand mogul of the Jabiwah degree, and other prominent members of the order. The business sessions of the order have been mostly devoted to a discussion of a new contsitution, which is being drawn up for the government of the state lodges. A movement to hold the sessions of the state lodges biennially was defeated in favor of the present plan.

NEARBY TOWNS.

WEST LEBANON.

West Lebanon, Aug. 22. -William Poorman, east of the village, returned from Richland county, Saturday night, with the news that he had purchased a farm there of one hundred and eight acres,. He disposed of the one he now lives on to Calvin Hawk.

The Rev. Mr. Adair filled the M. E. of the Rev. Mr. Warner.

A number of our people attended the funeral of Mrs. Lentz, of Wilmot, ly. Therefore I wish to say that all

Mrs. Sim Card, of Cleveland, is the guest of her brother-in-law, S. Card, get. I always keep it on hand.

SIGEL SURRENDERS.

Death of a Distinguished Veteran of the Civil War.

New York, Aug. 22.—General Franz Sigel, the famous soldier, politician and editor died at his home, No. 563 Mott avenue, this City, at 11:45 Thursday morning. The general had been ailing for two years, the result Trustees Receive Forty of old age and general breakdown, but it was only on Sunday last that he finally surrendered and took to his bed. The end was peaceful, with his family at his bedside.

He came to this country from Germany in 1852, went to St. Louis and Baldwin and Weston, Arrested at the outbreak of the civil war organized a regiment of infantry and a battery. The Germans flocked to him bery, Now Awaiting Trial, and he is credited with keeping Missouri in the union. He fought conspicuously throughout the war, taking

Celebration.

to be Asked to Participate-The Manufacturers and Merchants Urged to Take Part-Meeting.

In point of attendance, at least, the lon. Thursday evening meeting of the Trades and Labor Assembly was the bly desired it to be. It was one of at the local institution to Sherrard load of large shot struck the three-number three hundred and the native the most largley attended sessions in Cottage, in honor of the late Hon. the history of the organization.

egate be sent to a convention to be was deemed advisable because relalabor candidate for congress. Mayor learning that their friends or kins-Bernard Bell was named as the dele- folks were in the "infirmary" were cases are disposed of in court. Bald- gate, and John Evans as the alternate. always shocked. The name of the

> mittee to wait on the street fair asso- Dr. H. C. Eyman left Friday for ciation and urge that only union la- Toledo where he will attend the fu- domen. Instead of probing, every uty was fired on half a dozen times. bor be employed by that organization. neral services of the late Mrs. Tobey, effort is being made to prevent in- Guevarra, the ex-insurgent, is re Woman's Label League.

miners of the Massillon district to at- urday. tend the Labor Day celebration and participate in the parade.

quest their respective employers to Niagara Falls. take part in the industrial parade of Labor Day.

SUPERINTENDENT RESIGNS.

Investigation of State Board|ed. Was a Farce.

Delaware, O., Aug. 22.-Capt. A W. Stiles, superintendent of the girls' industrial home, tendered his resignation today, to take effect October 1. Together with this resignation goes the institution.

death of Nora Ferris, of Jackson brook and Crossland. county, who died in a straight jacket casual death, the sensational part applauded.

never being known antil recently. The feeling against Stiles here was management of the institution conducted by the state board of charities only made the matter worse, as three members of the trustees' board upheld Stiles in all his doings. Two members. Hubbard of Columbas and Christian of Marion, dissented and refused to sign the document filed as their report after being ordered to investigate by Governor Nash. During the past ed to open in a few weeks, if the presfew weeks the management of the ent cool spell continues. home has been lax. The inmates somehow have been told of the trouble into which Stiles had got and the conduct in a general way has been far from being good. Captain Stiles's action is the only correct solution of the matter according to the popular feeling in Delaware county.

Louisville, O., May 15, 1900. Mr. A. A. Slusser, Dear Sir-I take pleasure in recommending your Gall Powder. I consider it the best remedy for sores on horses. I had two church pulpit Sunday in the absence horses, one with a sore shoulder from collar, the other one a blister on top of neck. Used your Gall Powder on each and healed the sores very quickwho have horses having harness galls to use Slusser's Gall Cure. Consider it the cheapest and best article I can

JOHN HUET.

eight Bids.

ONLY THREE WERE COMPLETE.

R. H. Evans & Co. Will Immediately Commence Work on tures, Which Will Cost, in the Aggregate, One Hundred and Fifty Thousand Dollars.

The contract for the erection of the six new buildings at the Massillon state hospital has been given to R. H. Evans & Co., Salineville, and the building will begin immediately. The trustees of the Massillon institution met in the office of Architect F. L. Packard, in Columbus, Thursday, and opened the bids. There were forty-eight bids, but only three of them made estimates on the total cost. and, consequently, the "lowest and best" of these three received the contract. The bid of R. H. Evans & Co. was \$149,937 and specified that the buildings would be completed before October 1, 1903. The following trustees and officials were present: Other Notes of Last Night's S. J. McMahon, Cambridge; J. H. Newton, Newark; J. B. Zerbe, Cleveland, and Dr. H. C. Eyman, Massil-

At the meeting of the trustees at Columbus, Thursday, it was decided red letter" meeting that the assem- to change the name of the infirmary Robert Sherrard, who lived in Steub-A communication from the Alliance enville, and was formerly a trustee of Central Labor Union asked that a del-the local institution. This change W. E. Kyle, Frank Flickinger and new infirmary will be Nash cottage, T. Bielman were appointed a com- named in honor of Governor Nash.

An invitation was extended to the died Thursday and will be buried Sat-

Supervisor Winfield Scott and Mrs. Scott will leave Saturday afternoon Delegates were instructed to re- for a three days' trip to Buffalo and

> Over one hundred bushels of potaend of the electric line, on the hospital grounds, last week. This is the largest crop this patch has ever yield-

Harry Vaughn returned Thursday from a trip to Toledo, where he participated in a base ball tournament, playing with his home team.

Friday afternoon between the attendants, was won by the team captained says on secondary instruction in the heart by his eccentric and wilful acthat of his wife's as chief matron of by Shanabrook. The score stood 9-8 United States. Sir Joshua Fitch, tions. His majesty has disregarded This is the sequel to the tragic teries: Tausley and Dyson; Shana- contributes an introduction in which he marry a European princess. He

September 15, 1900, after hanging to open air concert at the hospital Fri- there is no distribution of parties cor- American capitalist for the three-fold iron bars, laced so tight as to restrain | day night on the inner court. The her freedom. She expired alone, and cool weather prevented a very large tives and Liberals, because there are state finances, reconciling the Repubwas found subsequently by a sub-ma- crowd of Massillon people being pres- no dynastic or ecclesiastical privileges lican element by taking a plebeian tron. The affair was reported as an ent, but the full turnout of patients to conserve. The whole nation, he consort and restoring Spanish prestige ordinary case of heart trouble and a listened to the music and vigorously says, may be described as a party of in Latin America. The king has in-

Gordon Wentworth, of Anna, Ill. has been engaged as an attendant at progress means. intense and the investigation of the the Massillon hospital and began his duty before.

announcement is made.

not been announced, but it is expect-

The grading around the buildings continues and the lawns are rapidly beginning to make the surroundings beautiful. The tomato crop at the hospital

proimses to be the largest ever gathered. The tomatoes are all of an extra large variety.

Louisville, June 23, 1900. Mr. A. A. Slusser, Dear Sir:wish to testify to the merits of your gall cure. I have practised 35 years, and have never found its equal in healing saddle galls, sore necks, chafing, sore shoulders, etc. I therefore cheerfully recommend it to the J. B. STUMP, V. S.

Everybody's liable to itching piles Rich and poor, old and young-terrib the torture they suffer. Only one sur Doan's Ointment. Absolutely I safe; can't fail.

STRIKE AT A POORHOUSE.

Employes Paid Off and Discharged at Once.

Bowling Green, O., Aug. 23.—One

of the most unique strikes that has occurred in this section for a long time was at the infirmary a few days ago. All of the help about the place, male and female, appeared early one morning before Superintendent Farm- CUBANS er and demanded their pay. The idea of going on a strike and starving the paupers in the poorhouse helped to General Weyler is Likewise make them think that Mr. Farmer could not get along without them and that it was a good time to force him to pay higher wages. Instead he forthwith settled up with each of them and locked them out of the the New State Hospital Struc- place. New help was secured without much trouble and everything is running along as smoothly as ever.

An Accidental Shooting Thursday Afternoon.

A CHILD IS SERIOUSLY HURT

The Young Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Hinderer in of Americans. a Serious Condition - Miss Frances Fasnacht and Harry Grogg Not Much the Worse for their Experience.

bright, the 14-year-old son of Mr. and ity of the insurgents in the mountain-Mrs. John Albright, was accidentally ous districts of Tobaco, Malanao and discharged Thursday afternoon. The Tivi, in Albay province. The rebels year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. constabulary is out daily. Thomas Hinderer. Miss Frances Fas- At Baytayan six natives were killed

Toledo state hospital. Mrs. Tobey nacht and Mr. Grogg are today not the civil authorities in Samar. Trou The baby is in a more serious condi- was di-continued, for a band of Dios will not prove fatal.

nacht farm, east of the city. Farm when Gueverra sent them word to dishands were thrashing at the time, and band unless they wanted the "crows toes were dug from the patch at the many narrowly escaped the flying to feed on their carcasses." They

A PARTY OF PROCRESS.

scribes This Nation.

London, Aug. 23. - The British The base ball game at the hospital board of education has issued two vol- continues to give the dignitaries and umes of special reports containing es- nobility of Spain palpitation of the at the close of the ninth inning. Bat- chief inspector of training colleges, all the proposals of his councillors that he compares the British and American has announced his intention of wed-The Military band gave another system. He says that in America ding the daughter of some South responding to the English Conserva- purpose of mending the shattered differ only in their views as to what | Spanish crown in South America to

new duties Thursday. Mr. Went- S. Sanford, of the Brooklyn high The king has thrown a bombshell into worth is numbered among the experi-school, G. L. Fox, of New Haven, the ranks of nobility by stating his enced attendants, Laving done like Conn., and H. T. Mark. The Daily intention of dissolving the grand or-Chapel at the hospital will begin says the most striking fact in the der in Spain, and substituting for it Sunday, September 13th, unless other study of American education is the the new order of Alfonso 13th. universal enthusiasm and the convic-The time for the dancing season has tion that it is the duty of the nation to provide the best available instruction and training for the young Amer-

WOOD REFUSES TO RUN.

Finding a Candidate.

Cleveland, Aug. 23.-Dr. Morgan Wood has refused to run for congress on the Democratic ticket against Theodore Burton. He gave his decision to Mayor Johnson at noon Friday. The mayor at once made the announcement.

Dr. Wood is one of the most eminent pulpit orators in the city and the announcement some days ago that he was a candidate for congress caused a great sensation.

No one would ever be bothered with constipation if everyone knew how naturally and quickly Burdock Blood Bitters regulates the stomach and bowels. Taft.

Sultan of Turkey Makes More Promises.

CHEER FOR SPAIN.

Honored-Judge Day's Probable Appointment to the Supreme Bench, to Succeed Justice Shiras-King Alfonso Stirs Up Spanish Nobility.

Constantinople, Aug. 23.-Izzet, the second secretary for foreign correspondence, yesterday called on the United States minister and promised the settlement of all pending American claims. He asked for a resumption of the diplomatic calls between the American minister and the ministers of the porte. Later Minister Leishman called on the grand vizier.

This comes as the result of the recent action of the United States representative here in refusing to hold further dealings with the Turkish government unless some disposition were manifested to live up to the porte's agreement concerning claims

TROUBLE IN ONE PROVINCE.

Filippinos Will Not Aid the Mil itary Forces.

Washington, Aug. 23.—The Manila A gun in the hands of Chauncy Al- mail brings intelligence of the activ-

nacht and Harry Grogg were also hit. and three Chinese carried off. A sick The child was standing about sev- constable at Malanao was captured enty feet in front of the gun's muzzle and his arms and legs were cut off. held for the purpose of nominating a tives of inmates, when visiting and and over thirty shot entered her body, The American soldiers report that literally covering it from head to they are unable to get any aid from foot. Seven of the shot entered the the natives, not even guides being back of Miss Fasnacht's neck, and furnished. In the vicinity of Malolos three hit Mr. Grogg in the face and the chief amusement of the Ladrones others in the chest. The shot had seems to be to annoy the land tax deppenetrated the walls of the child's ab- uty. In the town of Pullian the dep-

Delegates were installed from the wife of Superintendent Tobey, of the flammation of the wounds. Miss Fas- ported to be doing splendid work for much the worse for their experience. ble was feared when military rule tion but it is found that the accident dies revisited their old rendezvous at Calbiga. They were preparing to The accident occurred at the Fas- move against the civil authorities obeved.

AN ECCENTRIC KINC.

Sir Joshua Fitch Thus De- Alfonso Will Marry a South American Heiress.

Madrid, Aug. 23.-King Alfonso progress. The politicians in America structed the representatives of the forward him full details of all mil-Some of the other essays are by DI lionaires possessing eligible daughters. Chronicle in reviewing the report | der of the Annunciade, the oldest or-

FOR THE SUPREME BENCH.

Reported That Judge Day Will Succeed Shiras.

Oyster Bay, L. I., Aug. 23.-It was asserted on the highest authority be-Democrats Have Trouble in fore President Roosevelt started on are: The Rev. Charles F. Thompson, the President has decided on a sucman is said to be Judge Day, who succeeded John Sherman as secretary of state during McKinley's first term. Senator Pritchard, of North Caro-

> lina, was here yesterday and presented the name of a North Carolina man as a candidate to succeed Justice Shiras. ative when Pritchard asked him if Shiras's successor would be Judge

CANNON ON THE CAMPAICN.

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He is Opposed to the Tariff Revision.

Washington, Aug. 23.-Representative Canuon, of Illinois, chairman of the House committee on appropriations, is in Washington for a day or two, on his way from the Massachusetts coast, where he was a guest of Secretary Moody on the Dolphin.

"Will you promise your people in the campaign this summer that congress will revise the tariff at the next session?" he was asked by a reporter "Nay, nay," replied Mr. Cannon.

'Why should I make such a promise?

There is nothing sacred about the

present tariff schedule; but it is al-

ways demoralizing to business to have

congress begin the work of revising

the tariff. The manufacturer waits to see what will be the result, working only on orders; the merchant buys only what he feels certain he can sell, and the ordinary consumer buys only what he needs. Everybody waits to see what will be changed or what the changes will be. It always means at least a year of uncertainty, and I don't believe the people of this country want a year of uncertainty just now to check the prosperity we have. "The tariff will be revised some time, but not at the next session of congress, unless there is a check to the present prosperity. The people of Illinois, so far as I have been able to learn, are not anxious for a revision of the tariff. They are anxious to continue their business affairs without interruption caused by a long discus-

CONVERT TO SOCIALISM.

sion in congress as to what changes

should be made. I don't think it will

be necessary to give much attention

to this question in the present cam-

A Catholic Priest Withdraws From the Church.

Cincinnati, Aug. 23. - Word has been received here that the Rev. Thomas Haggerty, a Catholic priest well known in Cincinnati, who has been affiliated with the diocese of Dallas, Tex., has sent his resignation as a priest to Bishop Dunne, of Dallas, and has also withdrawn from the membership of the Catholic church.

Some years ago Father Haggerty took up the study of sociatism, and soon became one of its most ardent apostles. The reacon assigned for his withdrawal from the ministry and the communion of the Catholic church, Father Haggerty states, is the church's stand against socialism, and the incompatibility of her teachings with the doctrines of his economic creed. He will devote his entire energies to the propagation of socialism.

CUBANS CHEERED FOR SPAIN. Striking Laborers are Dispersed

by the Police.

Havana, Aug. 23.—City laborers sent to the wharves today to assist in unloading cargoes of material used in connection with public works, refused to work on account of a strike of dock laborers. They marched back to the palace, where they were dispersed by the police. The crowd cheered for Spain and for General Weyler.

SURPRISE TO ENGLAND. Removal of Washington Home Impracticable.

London, Aug. 28 -The statements published in the United States that the home of George Washington's ancestors, near Banbury, was to be bought and removed to the St. Louis fair are regarded here with surprise.

ANNUAL CONVENTION.

practicable.

The idea is said to be absolutely im-

Sunday School Forces to Meet Next Week. The twentieth annual convention of

Tuscarawas Township Sunday School Association will be held at Crystal Spring, four miles west of the city, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday and Sunday of next week. The final session will close at noon Sunday. On Saturday the famous Crystal Spring picnic will be held. Among those who will deliver addresses at the convention his New England trip yesterday that of Navarre; the Rev. W. H. Berry, of West Brookfield; the Rev. Dr. Dawcessor in case Justice Shiras resigns | son, of Lorain, and the Rev. D. M. from the supreme court bench. The | Christian, of Tiffin, field manager of the "Christian World." The Stanwood band will furnish music at the picnic.

The Rev. Dr. Charles E. Miller. president of the Heidelberg University, of Tiffin, will deliver the Sunday morning sermon. Dr. Miller is a The President told him that he had former Massillonian. He is a gradumade his selection and said the man ate of the Massillon high school and is an Ohioan. He replied in the neg- of the institution to whose presidency he has recently been called. For nine vears Dr. Miller was pastor of the Trinity Reformed church, of Dayton.

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MONDAY, AUGUST 25, 1902

The merchants' excursions to the East this year are being patronized by an unusually large number of Massillon business men. This fact, taken in conjunction with the season's big harvest, shows that prospects for a big fall trade are about as bright as they can be.

An excellent way of killing a dog, for anyone hating the sight of blood, is to tie sticks of dynamite to the animal's tail and light a long fuse. One should not, however, forget to tie the dog. This slight omission was made by a coal miner living near Pittsburg yesterday. The dog in question crept under the miner's house. Later he and his wife were found, full of splinters, among the ruins. The dog was dead.

Everybody is taking an interest in the coming carnival. Out of town guests are being invited to spend part of the week in hospitable Massillon homes; driving parties daily inspect the show grounds where coming wonders are to be set forth and Massillonians now out of town are arranging to get back to the city in plenty of time to enjoy the good things being prepared for their delectation by the Massillon Business Men's Street Fair Association.

The county commissioners have refused to turn the bridge funds raised in Canton from the county to the city, according to a resolution passed by the Canton city council, for the simple reason that it can't be done. The money raised by taxpayers for the county bridge fund must go into the building of bridges which the county needs, not into the construction of ornamental viaducts for the beautifying of the county seat. The Independtime ago.

Officials at the state department aver that too much prominence is being given in the press to the reported differences between this government and the sultan of Turkey. The Turkish ruler seems to have a faculty for keeping the diplomatic representatives of other nations in hot water. He apparently tries to see how closely he can approach an open rupture and still be on the safe side. The history of the last dozen years shows that nearly every nation represented at the Turkish court has, through its ministers, about reached the point where a break of diplomatic relationshis threatened. The present case grows out of the settlement of the claims of certain American citizens against the Turkish government. Mr. Leishman, the United States minister at Constantinople, asserts that these cases, which arose from a settlement of the Armenian outrages, have been pending for years, and that the Turkish authorities have failed to keep their agreements concerning the settlements. Minister Leishman has been given a free hand by the state department and it is believed will be able to secure a settlement of the pending differences without the assistance or interference of higher officials of this government.

CHILD LABOR IN THE SOUTH

A pamphlet issued by the Alabama committee on child labor asserts that during the decade ended with 1900 the number of children under 16 years of age employed in Southern cotton factories increased 270 per cent. The same authority declares that of the 45,000 textile operatives in North Carolina nearly 8,000 are under 14 years of age, while the average wages of a child in that state have fallen to 29 cents a day and actually in some cases to 9 cents a day.

South is wholly to blame for this condition of affairs. Many of the Southern textile factories are owned or con- the difficulty is kidney trouble, and the first trolled by New England capitalists, step should be towards the treatment of and there are grounds for believing these important organs. This unpleasant that certain manufacturing plants kidneys and bladder and not to a habit as have been transferred from New En- most people suppose. gland to the South largely because the! laws there do not interfere with the and both need the same great remedy. employment of child labor. It is not The mild and the immediate effect of ings with a grand rally on the last disputed that much of the opposition Swamp-Root is soon realized. It is sold day of the Sabbath schools in the comto the enactment of anti-child labor by druggists, in fifty-

the same quarter. sentiment is placing the blame for ing all about it, including many of the sentiment is placing the blanch of thousands of testimonial letters received this crime against childhood where it from sufferers cured, in writing Dr. Kilmer properly belongs. It should not be & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., be sure and president was J R Walter, and the forgotten, however, that the people of mention this paper.

the South, especially the intelligent white element, have it in their power action of their legislatures. They should exercise this power just as it Bulletin.

RELIGIOUS JOURNALISM.

The decline of so-called religious journalism—that is to say, of journalism devoted specifically to church news, church movements, and to church interests, in distinction, although not necessarily in antagonism to general religious news, broad reli- lin. gious interests, and fundamental reli- . Solo-Ed. C. Osborne, Wooster. gious conception of life—has sometimes been interpreted as indicating a de- Clouds, Rev. S. Ezra Neikirk, Wooscline of interest in religious matters, ter. says The Outlook. This is not sustained by the facts. What has taken place has been a broadening of the religious conception of life and therefore of the functions of a newspaper conducted in the religious spirit for religious ends.

When the old-time religious newspapers were started, small attention was given to religious matters by the daily press; now all leading newspapers devote large space both to religious matters in the broad sense of the word and to church news; all important matters of interest to the pulpit, the pews, the Christian Endeavor movement, the Young Men's Christian Association, the students' movement, institutional churches, societies and organizations of every kind for work among different classes of society and to effect specific reforms; in a word, all matters relating to the functions of churches, religious societies, and the practical expression of the religious life are treated at length and as part of the important news of the day by all leading journals. In such journals appears from time to time serious and, for the most part, sympathetic and capable editorial treatment of movements of religious thought, both within and without the churches. Far more attention is given today to religious matters by the press of the country than at any former period in our history.

The gradual disappearance of the old-time religious newspapers is not due to the decay of religion; it is due to a radical change of journalistic conditions, and to a still more radical change in the conception of what constitutes the religious element in life. Men and women no longer read their ent explained all this to Canton some church newspaper simply because it is the organ of their church; it must be interesting as well a authoritative, or they will not touch it. The religious newspaper must justify its existence, like every other newspaper, by its intrinsic interest. It wins its way, not because it is Presbyterian, Episcopalian, Baptist, Methodist or Unitarian, but because it is well edited and interests its readers. It stands or falls upon its own merits, as it ought to stand or fall.

WHAT THEY DID.

"We had a delightful time last week," said the city cousin, who was describing the joys of metropolitan life. "One evening we trolleyed out to a suburban home and ping-ponged until nearly midnight and next day we automobiled to the country club and golfed until dark."

"We had a purty good time last week, too," ventured the country cousin, with a sarcastic smile. "One day we buggied over to Uncle Josiar's and us boys got out in the back lot and baseballed all afternoon, and after we had dinnered we sneaked up to the loft and lit a candle and pokered until I had every blamed cent in the crowd."-Baltimore American.

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control the passage, it is yet afflicted with bed-wetting, depend upon it, the cause of Women as well as men are made mis-

legislation at the South has come from sizes. You may have a sample bottle by mail

sample bottle by mail It is gratifying to note that public free, also pamphlet tell- Home of Swamp-Root.

AT CRYSTAL SPRINGS.

to put an end to this evil through the Twentieth Annual Convention of S. S. Association.

has been exercised in other parts of _ The following is the programme of the country in the same cause. Child exercises for the twentieth annual labor is as much a sin against the meeting of the Tuscarawas Township state, against society, and against Sunday School Association, to be held humanity below Mason and Dixon's at the Crystal Springs tabernacle, four line as it is north of it.—Philadelphia miles west of Massillon, August 27-31:

WEDNESDAY, 1:80 P. M. Devotional services, conducted by

R. W. Klingle. Enrollment of delegates.

Children's services. An address to children-Miss Olive

WEDNESDAY, 8 P. M. Devotional exercises-W. D. Ober-

Lecture-Helping God Paint the

Solo-Ed. C. Osborne, Wooster. THURSDAY, 9 A. M. Devotional services-Rev. H. R.

Address-Rev. W. H. Berry. Address-Rev. Charles F. Thomp-

Report of delegates to state Sunday school convention at Findlay, O.-William G. Snavely.

THURSDAY, 1:30 P. M. Devotional exercises by Rev. Charles F. Thompson.

Address-Rev. S. Ezra Neikirk. Address-Rev. D. M. Christman, field representative Christian World Company.

Address-(1) Some General Princi ples of Bible Study; (2) An Outline Study of the "Acts of the Apostles;" Rev. William C. Dawson, Lorain. Election of officers.

THURSDAY NIGHT. Devotional exercises-Rev. N. E. Moffit.

Piano solo-J. Warren Erb. Lecture-The Man for the Twentieth Century, Rev. Wm. C. Dawson,

FRIDAY NIGHT-PART I. Piano duet-L'Aret; the Misses Florence and Dill Walter. Piano solo-Miss Mayme Wefler.

Ciarinet solo-Frank Zuber. Piano solo-J. Warren Erb. Ladies octette-Stanwood ladies. Vocal solo-Miss Jennie Cully. Piano solo-La Gontme; Miss Cor

delia Walter. PART II. Piano duet-Miss Truby and Miss McClintock.

Piano solo-Glissando-Mazourka Miss Lela McAllister. Vocal solo-John Long.

Clarinet solo-Frank Zuber. Piano duet - Il Trovatore; the Misses McConnell.

Violin solo-William Williams. Piano solo-J. Warren Erb. This programme is subject to

SATURDAY'S PROGRAMME. Song service by each school.

1—Sixteen.

2-Chapel.

3-Stanwood. 4-West Brookfield M. E.

5-Greenville M. E.

6-Cross Roads Union.

7-Myers. 8-Greenville Baptist.

9-Greenville Congregational.

10-West Brookfield Lutheran.

11-McFarren's M. E. Music by the Stanwood Citizens

SUNDAY SERVICE.

Invocation. Hymn-"All Hail the Power of esus' Name."

Scripture Lesson. Hymn-"Joy to the World." Prayer-Rev. H. R. Warner. Offering.

Sermon-Rev. Charles E. Miller, D. D.

Prayer-Rev. N. E. Moffit. Hymn-"God Be With You Till We Meet Again."

Benediction. The offering will be given to the general benevolences of the church.

This service will begin promptly at 10:30 a. m. Mr. Homer J. Miller, superintend-

ent of Trinity Reformed Sunday school, will be present at this service. The Rev. N. E Moffit, who has been prominently identified with the association since it organization, has prepared the following brief historical sketch:

In the year 1882 a small company of Sabbath workers met in council at Crystal Springs to organize what has since been known as the Tucsarawas Township Sabbath School Association, and without a single exception this association has held annual meetings at Crystal Springs for the study of for the sale of the Liberty oil holdings the scriptures, and also to gather in one body the Sabbath school workers of all denominations for comparison of methods employed in the Sabbath school work, and closing these meet-

The originators of this enterprise 25, was arrested It is alleged be were Joseph Oberlin, the Rev. H. R. Warner, the Rev. S. B. Mase, J. R. Walter, J. L. Steele, William Houston, and several others. The first ! first secretary was Mrs. S. O. Eggert tained in a runaway accident.

The history of this organization proves that these persons builded better than they knew.

From that small gathering of twenty-five persons it has grown in influence and interest until thousands come to attend its sessions every year. Commodious buildings have been erected on the association's ground. A beautiful grove is in their possession, plenty of pure water, and comfortable surroundings on every hand.

PRESIDENTIAL TOUR.

Large Crowd Witnesses Departure From Hartford.

Hartford, Aug. 23. - President Roosevelt and party left for Williman tic this morning. A large number of persons gave him a rousing send off, to which the President responded by frequently lifting his hat as he stood on the rear platform.

CONFLICTING TESTIMONY CIVEN

Some of Witnesses Testifieed Rone mus, Not McElmoyle, Killed Strike Leader Sharpe.

testimony was given yesterday at the inquest held to place the responsitility for the death of Patrick Sharpe, who was killed during a clash between strikers and deputies at Nes quehoning on Monday evening. had been killed by Harry McElmoyle, his remarks were frequently interwhile five others held that the fatal that had been fired by William Rone mus. One witness said Ronemus admitted that he shot him. Some of the witnesses claimed that Sharpe had not struck or abused any of the deputies, while others said that he had.

After hearing the testimony af the deputies the jury adjourned for delibcration. A verdict will be rendered this afternoon.

Yesterday morning Ezekiel John, the lieutenant of the deputies, was arrested, charged with complicity in the murder of Sharpe. He is now in the Mauch Chunk jail.

SOME TRI-STATE EVENTS.

.Mrs. M. Vogt is dead at Ellwood City, Pa., of smalpox.

Nineteen-year-old Rachel Hartland, of New Castle, Pa., disappeared from home, leaving a note stating that she was going away to be married.

Dr. E. M. Riggs, aged 60, one of the best-known physicians of Bridgeport, O, committed suicide by shooting , imself through the head.

J. H. Seville is under arrest at Canten, O., and is being held until the arrival of Braddock, Pa., officers, where le is wanted on the charge of wife-

Reeder, near Beaver Falls, Pa., and 'good'), and that kind of representative a satisfactory settlement. The stole the steam whistle and every particle of brass about the engine.

Mrs. Maria Walters was waylaid and robbed of \$15 and a gold watch, after leaving a Youngstown-Sharon car, near Sharon, Pa.

The Rev. James Barr, pastor of the Presbyterian church at New Wilmingion, Pa., has received a call to Bloomington, Ind., and will leave for that place about the first of September.

Ten thousand persons attended the eleventh annual reunion of the people of the Ligonier valley at Idlewild park. Large delegations were also present from Greensburg, Irwin, Scottdale, Johnstown, Altoona and Pittsburg.

Michael Morton, 15 years old, was whirled around a shaft 125 times in three minutes, at a Suterville, Pa., brick works, but escaped with a few bruises and the loss of almost all his clothing.

At York, Pa., Mrs. Annie Rebman a well-to-do widow, has elected to re main in jail rather than obey the court's order to pay \$1 a week toward the support of her 96-year-old father. She says the money is spent for liquor.

Eight thousand persons attended the reunion at Indiana. Pa., of the Sixty-seventh. One Hundred and First ()Le Hundred and Third, One Hundred and Thirty-fifth and Two Hunfired and Sixth Regiments and Company A of the Sixty-first regiment. There were about 500 Civil War vetcians, as well as half as many who saw service in the Spanish-American war, present.

The members of the board of depmy state supervisors of elections of Union county, O., organized by electirg Allen E. Platte, Republican, chief, and Charles E. McColud, Democrat

At Morgantown, near Waverly, O., W. N. Hatch, it is charged, was shot in the left side and fatally injured by Mulard Dodson, as a result of a quaricl over money. Dodson escaped. John Homer and Clarence Flick-

inger, while working on Mrs. William Flickinger's residence in York townstip, near Marysville, O., fell to the ground from the roof and were probably fatally injured. Jason D. Chase, of Franklinsville,

N. Y., was at Findlay, O., to arrange in Wood and Hancock counties, O. The consideration will be \$100,000.

At Toledo, O., Robert Langley, claiming Chicago as his home, was bound over in \$1,000 on a charge of rebbing Mrs. Voigile, of Walnut street, of \$100.

At Toledo, O., James M Ryan, aged

died from the effects of injuries sus-

forged and collected money on a numher of checks ranging in amounts from \$10 to \$22 each. At Marysville, O., Justice of the Prace George Hanawalt, aged 55,

Workingmen of Hartford Presented Him With a Floral Piece.

PRESIDENT REPLIED TO PRIEST.

Speech, Which Received a Pleasing Answer-President Chatted With Workingman Mayor.

tion he received.

scribed: "Workingmen's Welcome to o clock. Our President."

Father Michael Sullivan made a few remarks of welcome, in which he comriended the honesty and sincerity of purpose of the president in all his Twelve witnesses swore that Sharpe acts. The president responded and rupted by applause. He said:

Reply to Father Sullivan.

"Father Sullivan: I came here to

say some words this evening myself, but nothing that I can say, then, will in any way have the significance that the gift from the wage workers of Hartford has, and that the language you have used, Father Sullivan, in connection with making it has, and I am sure that Colonel Green, Senator Platt himself and all of my other hosts will pardon me for saying that 1.0 greeting that I have received or can receive in Connecticut will, or can begin to, please me as much as this one that I rec ive through you. (Loud applause.) Father Sullivan, I should of course be wholly unfit for the position I occupy if I did not give my best thought and best purpose to trying to serve the interests of the toiler of America (cheers)—the man who works with his hands, and, of course, also the man who works with his head-if I did not try to serve each decent American citizen accord ing to the best of my capacity, and certainly my most painstaking effort. my most resolute purpose, shall be given, and, if I may say so, is being given, to trying to do anything that can be done to help our people. Per haps I can do this best by trying to help as well as I can their best pur-Thieves entered the mill of Edward pose and their best thought (cries of Church questions were progressing totive I shall strive to be according to the light that is given me. One thing more. I should like to accept that gift as in some way personal to myself, but I would rather accept it, as I know it is meant, as a gift from Americans to the man who for the time being embodies American governmental principles-(cries of 'good' and cheers)—the principles of square and fair dealing with all men, so that all men shall have their rights under the law, that all shall be given a fair and an even chance in the struggle for life as we can best give it. I thank vou." (Loud and continued apr'ause.)

Big Crowd Was Present. Five thousand men and women crowded the Coloseum here last night to hear the address of President Itooosevelt. At least two-thirds of the audience were workingmen, and the erthusiasm manifested by them when the president alluded to the right of the toiler aroused the keenest interest. Again and again during his prefatory remarks, which were based on an incident of the afternoon-the presentation of a floral horseshoe by the workingmen-the president was interrupted by vociferous applause. Such side remarks as the following: "I do not care how honest a man may be, if he is timid he is no good.' evoked prolonged laughter. Again, in speaking of the Isthmian canal, he aroused mirth by saying that one of the problems in connection with the great engineering feat would be to men to work for a ten thousand dollar

President Roosevelt was introduced to the audience in the Coliseum by Colonel Jacob L. Green. Through Senator Platt he tendered his thanks to the state for the splendid reception accorded him, and to Mayor Sullivan he made his thanks to the people of the city of Hartford. Then turning to the audience, he made a speech.

Last night after his address at the Coliseum the president was the guest of Executive Secretary John T. Robinson, on Asylum avenue. The presi dent invited Mayor Sullivan to meet him at Mr. Robinson's home. The mayor is an ex-clerk, who was elected by the laboring men, a fact the president was familiar with, and he ex pressed a desire to have a personal chat with Mr. Sullivan.

President Roosevelt expressed his drives for conventional handshaking. This method of entertainment seems to have given the people the oppor tunity desired of seeing him. It obviates the crush that has been so objectionable in previous receptions.

New Haven Was Enthusiastic.

Bylph bearing the president was sight. ed off New Haven harbor just before l o'clock. Half an hour later the vessel was lying alongside Belle dock, taving made the run up New Haven harbor to the accompaniment of universal salutes.

The president acknowledged the salute from the yacht's quarter deck. ile came ashore at 1:20 p. m. at a special landing constructed for the occasion. Mayor John P. Stud ey and a committee from the board of aldermen greeted the guest the moment he landed and conducted him to the car-Father Sullivan Made Presentation tiage in waiting. Belle dock freight yards were roped off and the approaches were everywhere guarded by police. Troop A, Connecticut na. tional guard, constituted the military escort. At 1:25 the procession moved. The mounted police were followed by Troop A, and then came carriages Hartford, Conn., Aug. 23.—President containing the president and his party Roosevelt's stop in Hartford in his and invited guests to the number of New England tour was marked by 60. The program provided for nothgreat enthusiasm by the crowds and ing but a drive and the progress of he showed his pleasure at the recep- it took the distinguished visitor through the slums, the factory quar-In Pope park, one of the beautiful ters and the center of the city. All cutlying recreation spots of the city, traffic over the line of march during the president was greeted by 10,000 the hour of the president's stay was vorkingmen, who presented him with suspended and the city factories and Tamaqua, Pa., Aug. 23.—Conflicting a magnificent floral horseshoe, in shops were closed between 1 and 2.30

TAFT WELCOMED.

GOVERNOR GIVEN WARM RECEP-TION AT MANILA.

Received an Enthusiastic Popular Demonstration -- Many Natives From Provinces Participated.

Manila, Aug. 23.—Civil Governor Taft reached here yesterday morning at daylight on board the United States gunboat General Alava, from-Singapore, Straits Settlement. He was welcomed with an enthusiastic

Lopular demonstration. The day had been made a holiday and the city was decorated. Eight large arches had been erected on the treets. Twenty thousand natives rom adjoining provinces participated in the demonstrations in honor of the governor's arrival. There was a parade of vessels in the bay and 30 decorated craft carrying members of the civil commission, military officers and the reception committee, met the Gen ral Alava down the bay and escorted Governor Taft to the entrance of the Pasig river. The governor was es corted by a large procession to the Palace in the walled city, where a pub-

c reception was held. Responding to an address of welcome Governor Taft outlined the progress and the result of his negotiations at Rome in the matter of the Frilippine friers, and said that all covernor said the action taken by congress concerning the Philippine islands showed that the American people honestly desired to help the Filipinos. The Americans were determined the islands should not be caploited by Americans at the expense of the Filipinos. Governor Taft predicted that eventually the archipelago would have practically free trade, and he congratulated the Filirino people upon the restoration of neace. He advised the Filipinos to till the soil and restore their country lather than weate time in useless political agitation. He promised perconally to labor for the natives and asked for their confidence and sup-

BRYAN'S COMMONER WARNS.

Says United States, Like Babylon, Is Destined to Fall.

Lincoln, Neb., Aug. 23.—"Like Babylon of old, the United States is destined to have its fall, with the Republican party in the role of Belshazzar." This is the pessimistic prediction of W. J. Bryan, who warns government leaders that there will be a dismal wakening if national politics are not changed. In his Commoner yesterday Mr. Bryan says:

g headlong into new conditions and are leading the country into untried paths. They are sure that we can maintain a republic here and at the procure 50,000 patriotic, ambitious same time administer a coloney in the Orient. "They are sure that they can safely

"Just now the Republicans are rush-

encourage the growth of private monopolies, notwithstanding the inwitable tendency of man to use power 'or his own selfish purposes.

"They are allowing United States judges to abuse the writ of injunction when asked against laboring men, while those who violate the anti-trust laws go free, blind to the fact that such discrimination makes more anarchists than all the speeches delivered by Herr Most."

Dr. Martin Goes to Princeto...

Chambersburg, Pa., Aug. 23.-At a neeting of the curr'culum committee of Wilson college last evening Dr. Eamuel A. Martin, president of the college, announced that he had accepted an invitation to occupy for six satisfaction at the substitution of months the chair of hemiletics in Princeton. Theological seminary, which was made vacant by the resig nation of Dr. W. M. Paxton.

Want to Assassinate Sultan.

Vienna, Aug. 23.-A newspaper published in Bucharest, Roumania, al-Neew Haven, Conn., Aug. 23.-Pres. leges it has learned that M. Sarafoff, ident Roosevelt entered upon his New ex-leader of the Macedonian revolu-England tour yesterday and New Honary committee, has organized a slaver was the first point visited by committee, the object of which is to the sation's executive. The yacht affect the assassination of the sultan of Turkey.

MUNICIPAL CODE

As Prepared Under Supervision of Governor Nash.

A COMPREHENSIVE DIGEST

Of the Bill That Will Be Sent to the Ohio General Assembly.

SALIENT FEATURES OF THE MEASURE

Municipal Corporations Classed as Cities and Villages, the Line of Demarcation Being Fixed at Ten Thousand Population - Mayors to Appoint Police and Fire Boards. Organization of Cities and Vil-Councils, Boards and Other Provisions of the Document.

Columbus, O., Aug. 18.—The municipal code prepared under the direction and supervision of Governor Nash has reached the public somewhat earlier than was originally intended. What follows completely covers all the features and provisions of the bill, subject only to verbal revision which will not change any of the vital points of the code, except as to matter of police and fire boards of the cities. As originally drawn the code provided for a police board of four persons, appointed by the governor, not more than two of whom should belong to the same political party, and a fire board of four persons of like political qualifications, to be appointed by the mayor. It is proposed to consolidate these boards into one entitled the board of public safety, to consist of four persons, not more than two of whom shall belong to the same political party, to be appointed by the mayor, with the advice and consent of the council, the term of office being four years, the first appointees to serve one, two, three and four years respectively, their successors being appointed for four years:

Classification of Municipalities.

Section 1. All municipal corporations which, at the last federal census, had a population of 10.000 or more, shall be cities. All other municipal corporations shall be villages. All cities which, at any future federal census shall have a population less than 10,000, shall be reduced to villages. All villages which at any future federal census shall have a population of 10,000 or more shall be advanced to cities.

Section 2. When this act takes effect, and when the result of any federal census is officially made known to the secretary of state, he shall issue a proclamation stat-



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ing the names of all municipal corporations having a population of 10,000 or more, and the names of all municipal corporations haiving a population of less than 10,000, together with the population of all such corporations. Said proclamation shall be published for 10 days in two newspapers of opposite politics and of general elreplation in the four largest cities of the state, and a copy thereof shall also be sent to the mayor of each municipal corporation, which copy shall be forthwith transmitted to council shall be read therein, and made a part of the records thereof, and from and after the completion of sald publication each municipal corporation shall be a city or village in accordance with the provisions of this act. All officers of a village advanced to a city, or of a city reduced to a village, shall continue in office until succeeded by the proper officers of the new corporation at the next regular election, and the ordinances thereof, not inconsist. ent with the laws relating to the new corporation, shall continue in force unless changed, or repealed, by the succeeding

Section 3. When the corporate limits of a city or village become identical with those of a township all township offices shall be abolished and the duties thereof shall thereafter be performed by the corresponding officers of the city, or village, excepting that justices of the peace and constables shall continue to exercise their functions under municipal ordinances providing offices, regulating the disposition of their fees, their compensation, clerks, and other officers and employes, and such Justices and constables shall be elected at municipal elections. All property, moneys, credits, books, vouchers, records and documents of such township shall be delivered to the council of said city or village and all right interests or claims in favor of or against the township may be enforced by

or against the corporation. Section 4. Villages may surrender their separate powers upon petition to council of at least 25 per cent of the electors thereof and an affirmative vote of a majorof said electors at a special election which shall be provided for by council and conducted and canvassed and the result certified made known as at regular municipal elections within the corporation. If the result of the election is in favor of auch surrender the clerk of the village shall certify the same to the secretary of state and the recorder of the county, who shall record the same in their respective ers of such village shall cease; provided that such surrender of corporate powers of such village, or the power to settle claims, dispose of property, or levy and collect taxes to pay existing obligations, But after the presentation of the petition herein referred to, it shall not be lawful for council to create any new or any additional liability until the result of the elec-

ate powers; provided, further, that due and unpaid taxes may thereafter be collected, and all moneys or property remaining after such surrender shall belong to the school district embracing such village. All courts shall take judicial notice of the classification of municipal corporations, and the advancement, reduction and surtender of powers of such corporation. Section 5. Villages may be created and

incorporated in the manner now provided in Title 12, Division 2, Chapter 2, of the Revised Statutes. Section 6. Territory may be annexed to,

or detached from municipal corporations in the manner as now provided in Title 12, Division 2, Chapter 5, of the Revised Stat-

Powers of Municipalities.

1. General Powers-Section 7-Every city and village shall be a body politic and corporate, which shall have perpetual succession, may use a common seal, sue and be sued and acquire property by purchase, gift, devise or appropriation for any mu-nicipal purpose herein authorized, and hold, manage and control the same. All municipal corporations shall have the powers conferred by general law in Section 1692. and the subdivision thereunder. Sections 1692 A, 1692 B, 1692 C, 1692 D, 1692 E, 1692 F (1), 1692 F (2), 2108, 2109, 2110, 2111, 2112, 2149, 2150, 2151, 2152, 2407, 2470, 2492, 2500, 2516, 2517, 2559, 2576, 2665, 2666, 2667, 2668, 2669, 2669 B, 2669 C, 2670, 2670-1. lages, Powers of Corporations, 2671, 2672 of the Revised Statutes, and all other acts or parts of acts not inconsistent herewith. In addition to such powers all municipal corporations shall have the following powers:

1. To establish, erect, maintain and regulate houses of refuge and correction, workhouses, station houses and prisons and farm schools.

2. To license and regulate the use of the streets by persons who use vehicles or solicit or transact business thereon. 3. To make the violation of ordinances

a misdemeanor, and to provide for the punishment thereof by fine or imprison-

Special Powers.

Section 8. All municipal corporations shall have the following special powers, which shall be exercised in the manner hereinafter provided: 1. To appropriate property for public

2. To regulate the use of streets. 3. To levy and collect taxes.

4. To levy and collect special assess ments. 5. To borrow money,

6. To maintain and protect a sinking

fund. 7. To hold and dispose of property.

Appropriation of Property. Section 9. All municipal corporations shall have power to appropriate, enter

upon, and hold real estate within their separate limits for the following purposes 1. For opening, widening and extending streets and other public places, and for this purpose the corporation may appropriate the right of way across railway tracks or lands held by railway companies, and for obtaining material for the improvement

of streets and other public places.

2. For parks and market places, 3. For public halls and offices and for all buildings and structure required for the use of any department.

4. For prisons, workhouses, houses of refuge and correction and farm schools. 5. For hospitals, pesthouses, reformatories, crematories and cemeteries.

7. For bridges, vladuets and approaches 8. For schoolhouses and university sites

6. For levies, wharves and landings.

and grounds. 9. For constructing, opening, excavating,

improving or extending any canal or water course located in whole or in part within the limits of the corporation which is not owned in whole or in part by the state or by a company or individual authorized by law to make such improvement. 10. For sewers, drains, ditches, public

urinals and water closets. 11. For waterworks, gas and electric

light plants and for supplying the products Section 10. In the appropriation of property for any of the purposes named in the

preceding section the corporation may, whenever the same is reasonably necessary for the purpose for which the appropriation is desired, acquire property outside the limits of the corporation, Section 11. Provides the steps necessary

when the council desires to appropriate property by resolution, serving notice on the owner, and the passage of an ordinance by the vote of two-thirds of all the mem-Section 12. Provides for proceeding in

condemnation by the solicitor, or before the court of common pleas or probate court. Section 13. Requires the usual legal no-

tice of the application to condemn to be given. Section 14. Prescribes how a jury shall

be drawn to assess the damages due the owner of the land condemned and appropriated.

Section 15. Provides for the appointment of guardian ad litem in case of the minor ity or mental deficiency of the owner, and how the jury shall assess and divide the damages between owners when buildings overlap lot lines.

Sections 16, 17, 18, 19, 20 and 21, Provide for all further proceedings in condemnation; define the rights of the corporation and individual owners; how claims for direct and incidental damages shall be tried and determined; when the costs and attorneys fees shall be paid by the corporation, and when all or a portion of them shall be paid by unsuccessful claimants for damages.

Control and Use of Streets

Section 22. In all municipal corporations council shall have the care, supervision and central of public highways, streets, avenues, alleys, sidewalks, public grounds, bridges and viaduets within the corporation and shall cause the same to be kept open and in repair and free from nuisance; and with respect to the dedication, opening and vacation of streets, as well as labor upon them. Sections 2642, 2643, 2641, 2645, 2646, 2647, 2648, 2649, 2649-1, 2649-2, 2649-3, 2650, 2651, 2652, 2653, 2654, 2655, 2657, 2660, 2661, 2662, 2664, 2664-1, 2664-2, 2664-3, 2664-4, 2664-5, 2664-6, 2664-7, 2664-8, 2664-9, 2664-10, 2664-12 and 2664-14 shall be and remain in full force and effect.

The Granting of Franchises.

Section 23. Council shall have nower to grant the use of the streets or other public places to any street railway company, natural or artificial gas company, electric or other light company, water company, pneumatic tube or package carrier company, heat and power company, or any other similar corporation and the right to use the streets or other public places may extend over, upon, along, across, or beneath

the surface thereof. Section 24. No such right shall be granted except by ordinance of council, and no grant shall be valid for a greater period than 25 years; nor shall any such grant bemade except upon written application to council from the corporation desiring the use of the streets and after advertisement for 30 days in some new-paper of general offices, and thereupon the corporate pow- circulation in the city or village, inviting proposals to furnish the inhabitants thereof with the public service proposed in the shall not affect accrued rights or liabilities application. No grant shall be made except to the company offering the best terms to the municipality and its inhabitants with respect both to compensation or return to be given in the way of rental and repairs and the rates or charges to be made; provided that no such grants shall be made except to a company which agrees

grant not less than 5 per cent of its gross

teccipts from all sources and to permit toune'l or any person or persons designated, by council to examine its books at any time for the purpose of ascertaining such gross receipts.

Section 25. Council shall have power at all times to adopt police regulations with respect to the use of the streets or other public places by such companies, and at the end of each period of 10 years to regulate the price, rate of fare or other charges for the public service by agreement with such companies and every grant shall provide a method of arbitration to be there after pursued in case council and the company are unable to agree upon such regulation of the price, rate of fare or other charges, provided further that any tax-payer shall have the right in the manner provided in Sections 1777, 1778 and 1779 of the Revised Statutes to prevent a violation of this section or any abuse of the power herein conferred.

Section 26. Permits council to contract with the natural or artificial gas company, water or power company to supply light, water and power, for specified purposes for periods not exceeding 10 years.

Section 27. Provides that before a franchise is granted to a street railway company, the application shall accurately describe the entire route and be accompanied by the written consents of a majority of the property holders along said route. Section 28. Provides how street railway extensions shall be made.

Section 29. Requires all money realized by the corporation for the use of streets shall be turned into the general fund of the municipality. Section 30. The rights of property own-

ers for additional burdens shall not be impaired, nor shall the powers of corporations, heretofore in force, and all grants heretofore made shall remain valid and

Finance and Taxation.

Section 31. The council of every municipai corporation shall have power to levy and collect taxes upon all the real and personal property within the corporation for the purpose of paying the expenses of the corporation, constructing all improvements authorized and exercising all the general and special powers conferred by law.

Section 32. The aggregate of all taxes levied by any municipal corporation, exclusive of the levy for county and state purposes, for schools and schoolhouse purposes, and for sinking fund and interest, on each dollar of valuation of taxed property in the corporation on the tax list. shall not exceed in any one year the following rates:

In a city, 10 mills; in a village, 5 mills, Section 33. Any member of council who knowingly votes to levy taxes in excess of the limit enjoined by the last preceding Section shall forfeit his office and shall thereafter be disqualified to hold any office of trust or emolument in the corporation; and such member may be fined in any sum not exceeding \$1,000 and imprisoned for a term not exceeding six months, or both, and it shall be the duty of the solicitor to enforce such forfeiture, and of the prosecuting afformer of the county to institute! proceedings to impose such fine and imprisonment.

Section 34. Permits a greater levy for authorized purposes, than is authorized herein, if the proposition for such additional levy be submitted to the electors and receives a two-thirds majority of the votes east. Section 36. On or before the first Mon-

day in April of each year the auditor of every city and clerk of every village shall furnish to council and to each member thereof the following statements: 1. The balance standing to the credit or debt of each fund as shown on the first Monday of the preceding April. 2. The monthly expenditure out of such fund. 3. The annual expenditures from each fund for the proceding five fiscal years. 4. The monthly average of such expenditures. 5. A detailed statement of the approximate amount of money deemed necessary for the ensuing year. G. The total percentage deemed necessary to levy for all purposes for the en-Section 37. Provides that council shall

examine and revise these statements and determine the necessary levies for taxes, Sections 38 and 39. Provide for the certification of the levy to the county auditor, and for its collection by the county treasurer, to be paid by him into the corporation treasury. Section 40. Fixes the fiscal year of each

office as extending from Jan. 1 to Dec. 31, and requires all accounts to be closed on the last named date, and the annual report for the year then ending to be made. Section 41. Requires council at the beginning of each fiscal half year to make appropriations for the ensuing six months; provides how moneys may be transferred from one fund to another and under what circusistances, and how a contingent fund to meet emergencies may be created.

Section 42. Requires the auditor or clerk of every municipal corporation to make up , weekly statement of the balances of all funds, as the same exists at the close of business on Saturday, and also a statement of the balances in all funds, and these statements shall be open at all times to any citizen.

corporation may assess upon the abutting

Assessments. Section 43. The council of any number of

and adjacent and contiguous or other specially benefited lots and lands in the corporation by the abutting feet any part of the entire cost of and expense connected with the improvement of any street, alley or public road or place by paving, repaying, repairing constructing sidewalks, sewers, drains or water courses and the cost of lighting, sprinkling, sweeping and elemine the same. Such assessment shall be subject to the provisions of Sections 2268, 2285. 2286, 2287, 2288, 2286, 2266, 2261, 2264, 2265, 2207, 2208, 2200, 2300, 2301, 2302, 2321, 2326 and 2327 of the Revised Statutes, but in no case shall there be levied upon any lot or parcel of land in the corporation any assessment or assessments within a period of four years exceeding 25 per cent of the tax value thereof, nor shall there be levied any assessment for sewer purposes exceeding \$2 per abutting foot, nor shall any lot or parcel of land be assessed for any purpose unless the owner thereof, if he be a resident of the corporation, shall have been served with a notice of the proposed improvement. and assessment in the manner provided by law for the service of legal process, and by a person to be designated by council, and if said owner be not a resident of the corporation then by advertisement for 20 days in some newspaper of general circulation within the corporation, such notice by service or publication to be completed before the improvement is made of assessment shall have regard to the benefits conferred by the improvement and shall limit said assessments to the special benefits conferred upon each of the several lots or parcels of land assessed. The municipality shall bear not less than 5 per cent of the charges and expenditures referred to herein to cover the cost of street intersections and the proportion of general benefit to the corporation, which shall be paid in the same manner required of property owners assessed. The corporation shall also pay as a property owner for all municipal property abutting on or specially benefited by any improvement or expenditure referred to herein.

Sections 44 and 45. Provides how compensation in damage to the property owner, under the operation of the preceding section, shall be ascertained, passed upon, and how the same may be judicially ascertained in a proceeding at law in a court of competent jurisdiction.

Section 46. Assessments levied for the construction of main sewers shall not exceed what would, in the opinion of counto pay into the treasury of the municipal cil, be required to construct an ordinary years next preceding his election. His bond party, to be appointed by the mayor.

so drain or sewer the lots or lands to be assessed that do not need local drainage or which are not provided therewith.

Power to Borrow Money. Section 47. All municipal corporations

shall have power to borrow money and issue certificates of indebtedness therefor in anticipation of the collection of taxes and special assessments in any fiscal year. but no loan shall be made exceeding the amount so unticipated, nor shall any additional loan for such purposes be made until all previous loans have been paid. Such certificates of indebtedness shall not run for a longer period than one year nor bear a greater rate of interest than 6 per cent, nor be sold for less than par with accrued interest. They shall be signed as municipal bonds are signed. Section 48. Municipal corporations shall

have power to issue bonds in the manner and for the purposes authorized by Section 2701. Revised Statutes, and the form and requisites of all bonds shall be such as are required by Sections 2703, 2706, 2707 and 2708 of the Revised Statutes.

Sections 49 and 50. Prescribe the method of issuing bonds and limits the rate of interest to 6 per cent.

Section 52. All municipal corporations shall have power to issue bonds for the various purposes to the amounts and with the limitations provided in the act passed April 29, 1902, entitled "An Act to Amend Sections 2835, 2836 and 2837 and to Repeal Section 2837a of the Revised Statutes, authorizing the issue of bonds by cities, villages, hamlets and townships," and such act shall be and remain in full force and

Sinking Fund.

Section 53. All municipal corporations having outstanding bonds or funded debis shall have power through their councils, and in addition to all other taxes author ized by law, to levy and collect annually a tax upon all the real and personal property in the corporation sufficient to the interest and provide a sinking fund for the extinguishment of all bonds and funded debt, and for the payment of all judgments, final against the city, except in condemnation of property cases, and the taxes so raised shall be for no other purposes whatever.

Section 54. In all municipal corpora tions having a sinking fund the same shall be managed and controlled by a board designated the trustees of the sinking fund. which in cities shall be composed of five citizens thereof, not more than three of whom shall belong to the same political party, and who shall be appointed by the mayor, with the advice and consent of council, one for the term of one year, one for two years, one for three years, one for four years and one for five years, and thereafter as their terms expire, one trustee shall be appointed for five years, and in villages the trustees of the sinking fund shall be the mayor, auditor and chairman of the finance committee of council,

Section 55. The trustees of the sinking fund shall serve without compensation, and shall give such bond as council may require; provided, that any surely company duly authorized to sign such bond shall be sufficient security, and the cost—thereof may be paid by the trustees of the sinking fund out of the funds under their con trol.

Sections 56 to 66, inclusive, Prescribe the duties of the sinking fund commissioners, how the board shall organize, how the funds of the corporation shall be managed, etc., the various provisions being substantially the same as now provided by statute

ORGANIZATION OF CITIES. Section 67. The legislative power of ev-

ery city shall be vested in and exercised by a council composed of not less than nine members, six of whom shall be elected by conneilmanic districts and three of whom shall be elected by the electors of the city at large, provided that for each 15,000 inhabitants in any city in addition to the first 10,000 there shall be an additional member of council; provided, further, that whenever the total number of members of council is 15 or more one member in every five shall be elected at large, and the remainder from councilman ie districts

Section 68. Not later than the first day act the present council, board of legislation, or other legislative body in each munleipal corporation classified as a city in this act shall subdivide said city into councilmanic districts, and all conneilmanic districts so to be established shall be bound. ed as far as practicable by streets, alleys, avenues, public grounds, canals, water courses, corporation lines, center lines of platted streets, or railroads, and be composed of adjacent and compact territory, and the several councilmanic districts at the time of such subdivision shall contain, as nearly as practicable, an equal number of inhabitants. Council shall, in like manner, after each recurring federal census and within three months after the issuance of the proclamation required in Section 2 of this act redistrict said city; provided that said city may also be redistricted whenever there is annexed thereto any territory containing, by the latest federal census, 15,000 or more inhabitants. At the first annual election held under this act the members of council shall be elected at large and from the councilmanic districts herein required to be established, and at all subsequent elections the members of council shall be elected at large and from the

councilmante districts then existing. Section 69. The members of council shall. within 10 days from the commencement of their terms, elect a president pro tem., clerk, sergeant-at-arms and such other clerks, assistants and employes as they may determine, and shall fix their duties, bonds and compensation. The officers and employes of council shall serve for the perfod of three years, but may be removed at any time at any regular meeting of the members elected to council. Council shaft not elect or appoint any other officers whatever.

Section 70. Council shall be the judge of the election and qualification of its members, a majority of all the members elected shall be a quorum to do business, but a loss number may adjourn from day to day and compel the attendance of absent members in such manner and under such penalties

as shall be prescribed by ordinance Sections 70 to 76, inclusive. Provide that councilmen at large shall have resided in their respective cities and councilmen in their respective districts at least one year preceding their election, and four years in the state, and shall hold no other public office except notary public or in the militia; how vacancies may be filled; shall determine its own rules; shall call the year and nays which shall be entered on the journal; may expel a member by a two-thirds vote; no ordinance or resolution is valid unless it receives the votes of a majority of the members elect; ordinances to be recorded, authenticated and published as now provided by law; may pass an ordinance over the mayor's veto by a two-thirds majority; council shall fix the salaries of all officers, clerks and employes, except as otherwise provided by this act; may fix the compensation of members of council not exceeding \$1,000 per year, and all acts which apply to all cities and are not inconsistent with the provisions of this act to remain in force.

The City Officials. Section 77. The executive power and au-

thority of cities shall be vested in a mayor. president of council, auditor, treasurer, soments as are created by said act, Section 78. The mayor shall be elected

until his successor is elected and qualified. He shall be an elector of the corporation of four citizens, not more than two of corporation during the entire period of its street sewer or drain of sufficient capacity and compensation shall be fixed by council.

The mayor shall be the chief conservator of the peace within the corporation, and shall have such other powers and perform such other duties as are conferred and required in Sections 1746, 1747, 1748 and 1750 of the Revised Statutes, such as are provided in this set, and all other acts or parts of acts applying to all citles of the state, and not inconsistent herewith.

Council shall by ordinance determine the number of clerks and employes in the office of the mayor, and shall fix their duties, bonds and compensation. Such clerks and employes shall be appointed by the mayor, with the advice and consent of council, and shall serve during the term of tha mayor, unless sooner removed by him for cause, which shall be stated to council. Section 79. The president of council

shall be elected for a term of three years and shall serve until his successor is elected and qualified. He shall be an elector of the corporation and a resident thereof for at least five years next preceding his election. His bond and compensation shall be fixed by council. The president of council shall preside at all regular and special meetings of council, but shall have no vote therein except in case of a tie. When the mayor is absent from the city or is unable for any cause to perform his duties the president of council shall be the acting mayor. In case of the death, resignation or removal of the mayor the president of council shall become the mayor and serve for the unexpired term and until the successor is elected and qualified.

Section 80. The auditor shall be elected for a term of three years, and shall serve until his successor is elected and qualified. He shah be an elector of the corporation and a resident thereof for at least five years next preceding his election. His bond and compensation shall be fixed by council.

The auditor shall keep the books of the city, exhibit accurate statements of all moneys received and expended, and of all property owned by the city, and the income derived therefrom, and of all taxes and assessments. At the end of each fiscal year, or oftener if required by council, he shall examine and audit the accounts of all officers and departments, and shall prescribe the form of accounts and reports to be rendered to his department, and the form and method of keeping accounts by all other departments and shall have the Inspection and revision thereof. The bureau of inspection provided by the act of May 10, 1902, is not interfered with,

Section 81. Directs the method of accounting, etc., to be pursued by the audi-

Section 82. The treasurer shall be elected for a term of three years, and shall serve until his successor is elected and qualified. He shall be an elector of the corporation and a resident thereof for at least five years next preceding his election. His bond and compensation shall be fixed by council, The powers and dutles of the treasurer

shall be such as are provided in Sections. 1767, 1768, 1769 and 1772 of the Revised Statutes, such as are provided in this act, and all other acts or parts of acts, applying to all cities of the state and not inconsistent with this act. Council shall determine the number of assistants, clerks and employes in the office of the treasurer, and shall fix their duties, bonds and compensation. Such assistants, clerks and employes shall be appointed by the treasmer, by and with the advice and consent of council, and shall serve during the ferm of the treasurer, unless removed by him for cause, which shall be stated to council.

The treasurer is required to give bond, and he may deposit in banks offering the highest rate of interest the funds of the city, the interest to houre to the benefit of the fund, but shall not thereby be re-Heved from liabilities for loss; provided, further, that as to any deposits upon competitive bidding under authority of an ordinance of council, neither the treasurer nor his bondsmen, if the treasurer has exereised due care, shall be liable, for any loss occasioned thereby,

Section 83 The solicitor shall be apconsent of council, for a term of three years, and shall serve until his successor is appointed and qualified. In case the office of solicitor becomes vacant the mayor shall fill the same for the unexpired term, with the advice and consent of council, grades and classes of cities and villages The solicitor shall be an elector of the city are repealed, and this act is made to take and admitted to practice law in the courts. of Ohio. His bond and compensation shall be fixed by conneil.

The powers and duties of the solicitor nicipal corporations until the new adminsuch as are provided in Sections Istration goes into operation 1774, 1775, 1776, 1777, 1778, 1779 and 1780 of the Revised Statutes; such as are provided in this act and all other acts, or pacts of acts, having uniform operation statute pages, and the total statute igw throughout the state, and not inconsistent, with respect to numicipalities, will be rewith this act, and he shall be afterfiey; for the police commissioners. He shall be prosecuting afformey of the police court and shall have such number of assistants and clerks as council may determine, and may detail an assistant as police prosecutor; the salaries and compensation of solicitor assistants and clerks to be fixed by council.

Department of Public Service.

Section 84. In every city there shall be three directors of public service, who shaft, bers of council shall be chosen from wards. be appointed by the mayor, with the advice and consent of council, for a term of members of council elected at large and three years and until their successors are to the largest village nine members of appointed and qualified. The directors of council, or the same number as the smallpublic service shall be electors of the city est city. and residents thereof for at least five. The same provisions are made with re-years next preceding their appointment, spect to the redistricting of villages where Their bonds and compensation shall be wards are authorized, as in the case of fixed by council. They shall organize as cities, and the general powers and duties a board, which shall be known as "the of the council of villages, as now previded beard of public service," and make their; by law, are preserved. own rules and all regulations for the ad- | They shall fix the compensation and ministration of affairs under their supervision.

Section 85. The board of public service shall be the chief administrative authority without compensation. of the city, and shall manage and supervise all public work and all public institutions. except where otherwise provided in this act.

shall supervise the improvement and repair appertaining to each of streets, avenues, alleys, lands, lanes, squares, wharves, landings, market houses, viaducts, sidewalks, sewers, drains, ditches, cuiverts, ship channels, streams and water courses; the lighting, sprinkling and cleaning of all public places and the construction of all public works: provided that in any city where a public improvement of any character is being made, by a board of trustees or a com-mission heretofore established by law for that purpose, such trustees, or commis- and any village having a fire department, sioners, shall continue in office until the completion of said improvement, and thereupon the work so completed shall be furned over to the board of public service or other appropriate authority of the city. The board of public works shall have the management of municipal water and lighting plants, parks, public baths, market houses and crematories, as well as other public buildings and other property of the of said institutions, the same shall be mancorporation not otherwise specified herein. Section 87. Further defines the authority of the board of public service, denies it legislative power, but it may recommend expenditures and enter into contracts authorized by laws or ordinances,

Board of Public Safety. The remaining sections of the code, as

originally drawn, provided for a department of public safety and a loard of fire commissioners, with a general definition of licitor and such other officers and depart | their duties, the first appointive by the governor, and the second by the mayor, but it is proposed to merge them under for a term of three years, and shall serve, the title of the board of public safety. The board of public safety shall consist

and a resident thereof for at least five whom shall belong to the same political They shall manage and control the police

and for departments in the other part out of the other of the departments shall by undertakent superior upon the mests existen. The measure esticers and employes shall be returned unions dismissed for cause; all advancements shall be for proficiency only, and all appulate ments shall continue during good believelor. No person shall be appointed to the miles or fire departments on account of political athliations, nor removed, discharged or reduced in grade or pay except by the boars of public safety for inefficiency or misseyduct upon written charges and bearing 110 member of either force shall held any other office or be a delegate to any political convention or take part in any primary

or election except to cast his vote. The mayor shall be ex-officio the head of the police and fire departments and chaff appoint members therein, but shall have no nower of removal. The board of public safety shall confirm all appointments, and shall have power of removal for cames. The board shall also determine the qualifications of appointees, classify the service and provide for the examination of applicants and all rules and regulations for the civil service established in these departments.

Council shall by ordinance determine the number of men on the police and are force and shall fix the compensation of such men, as well as that of the members of the board of public safety, and levy the tax for the support of this department. The board of public safety has no author-

ity to make a contract exceeding in amount \$500 without the approval of the mayor. and such contract shall be made after competitive bidding and advertisement. Provision is made for the retention of

all officers and men now serving in the police or fire departments of any city; and the general pension acts passed by the last legislature are incorporated and pre-The Judiciary.

Every city in the state is made a mu-

nicipal court district, and provision is made for the election of a police judge and clerk for three years, whose compensation shalk be fixed by council. The present jurisdiction of police courts and their general powers and duties are preserved. The police courts, being authorized to

be established by other provisions of the constitution than those relating to the organization of cities and villages, the number of judges in each district may be fixed by the legislature, and in this act provision is made for two judges of the police court in any judicial district containing more than 350,000 inhabitants.

Civil Service. Provisions are made for civil service, es-

pecially in the police and fire departments under such general roles and regulations as council may determine consistent with the statutory provisions,

First Election, Etc.

The first municipal election under the act shall take place on the first Monday in April, and all subsequent elections shall be held on the same date every third year thereafter. With respect to the removal of officers,

provision is made that council by a twothirds vote, and upon written charges, m y impeach and remove the mayor of either a city or village; and the mayor may coon written charges and hearing remove and officer in the corporation; provided, that such officer shall have an appeal to couneil, and it shall require a two thirds vote of council to reverse the order of the mayor. Provision is made for the abolishment of

city and county boards of election and the performance of their duties by new deputy supervisors of election in each county. Tohe appointed by the secretary of state in the same manner as is now provided with respect to such officers. These officers shall manage all elections in the county, both within and without the municipalities and shall have charge of all registraflon.

board of equalization in each city, which pointed by the mayor, with the advice and shall equalize the values of ail real and personal properly, and the present special hoards of the various cities are abolished, In villages the present county boards of equalization perform these duties All special acts heretofore governing

Provision is also made for an annual

effect November 15, 1902 Saving clauses are inserted to preserve the present officers and powers of all mu-

The total number of acts repeated comprise about 1,000 pages of the Revised Statutes. This net will occupy atmost 40

duced to about one lifth its present space. ORGANIZATION OF VILLAGES.

1. Legislative. The legislative power of every village is vested in a council composed of not less than six members, who shall be elected at large; provided, that for the first 5,000 inhabitants of any village there shall be elected two additional members, and for every 2,500 inhabitants thereafter, there shall be elected one additional member of council; and all additional mem-This gives to the smallest village six

bonds of all officers, clerks and employes in the village government, except that members of village councils shall serve 2. Excentive.

(a) Chief Officers. The chief officers 6T

a village shall be mayor, clerk, treasurer, marshal, street commissioner and solleitor, Section \$6. The board of public service with the general powers and duties now All shall be elected, except the solicitor

and street commissioner, who shall be appolitted by the mayor. The duties of the street commissioner are largely like those of the board of pub-He service in cities, with respect to the

improvement and repair of streets, except that all contracts shall be made by council. The marshal in any village may also be the street commissioner. The marshal shall be the chief of police

the head of said department shall be a fire chief, appointed by the mayor. (b.) Trustees of public affairs. In any village now owning and maintaining or which may hereafter establish public water

or lighting plunts, parks, cemeteries, baths, llbraries, market houses, crematories, sewage disposal plants, houses of refuge, workhouses, infirmaries, hospitals, or any aged by three trustees of public affairs. who shall be elected for a term of three years, and in the management of said institutions shall be governed by the general provisions of law with relation thereto, and such statutes with respect to said institutions are preserved.

They shall have the power to make comtracts in any sum not exceeding \$250, and wher any expenditure exceeds that amount the contract shall be made only by direction of council. 3. Judicial. In villages the mayor shall

be the judge of the police court. The so-licitor shall prosecute all violations of ordinance in the mayor's court when requested by the mayor; the marshal shell attend said court when required, and serve all writs issued to him therefrom and the jurisdiction of said court shall be such as is now provided by law.

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tion is declared; nor thereafter, if such result is in favor of the surrender of corpor-

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LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Investigators.

Mrs. Helena R. Slusser is a Chautauqua lake visitor.

Miss Susie Woolley, of Massillon, is a visitor at C. E. Winner's.-Alliance

Miss Elsie Hartman, of Pittsburg, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Graber, in West Main street.

Edgewood Park, Pa., is a guest at the Wesley M. E. church. The wedding residence of Postmaster and Mrs. L. A. Koons

his mother, Mrs. Ann Smith, in South served on the lawn under a canopy of Mill street.

route to Dansville, N. Y., where she present from New York, Cleveland, will be joined next week by William Elyria and Canton. Mr. and Mrs. F. Ricks and Judge and Mrs. A. J. Northrop will live in Cleveland.

Massillon, and Mrs. Lumpp and Miss tains an account of the wedding of Emma Lumpp, of Wheeling, W. Va., Miss Belle Lacy, of Toledo, to George are visitors at the home of Gas Gold. R. Lyon, formerly of this city, which smith, West Liberty street. - Wooster occurred at the home of the bride's Republican.

ler took place Saturday morning at 9:30 from the residence at 86 Henry ducted the services. The body was tives were present. Mr. and Mrs. street. The Rev. S. K. Mahon consent to Orrville for burial.

coaches passed through Massillon over the B. & O. Satruday morning at 7:30 bound for Bridgeport. The excursion was made up of Barberton Match Shop employes and friends to the number of seven hundred.

ninety-four, a pioneer physician of Doylestown, died Thursday. For sixty-five years he practiced medicine, retiring at the age of ninety on account of failing health. At one time Dr. Armstrong represented

Attention is hereby called to the rule of the board of education in reference to vaccination. It is hoped that those who have not already complied with this regulation will do so Rawson, O. The funeral will take before schools open on September 8th, so that there may be no delay in regard to pupils entering school at that time. E. A. Jones, superintendent.

There will be a great contest next Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the A. M. E. Zion church. There will be a special programme rendered by the literary society of the church, subject: "Resolved, That everybody has a religion." Affirmative W. H. Brannon, Nathan Hawkin; negative, T. J. Hicks, Charles Crump. Refreshments | Miller, 18 years of age. Before his illwill be served after the contest.

scribed \$70 for the purchase of the large flag which is to adorn the pole soon to be erected in the yard where the old flag pole stood. The flag will Lynch, of Creighton, Pa. Mr. Lynch sil be 24x40 feet, the largest in the state. was at one time paster of the First GRAIN, HAY, STRAWAND WOOL. The erection and dedication of the Methodist church of this city. pole is expected to take place next week. Special machinery and apparatus is necessary and this is being prepared. The pole is to be one hundred and sixty feet in height.

and is now controlled by the Pennsylvania system. Only one passenger train and one freight train are run each day. -Akron Beacon Journal.

the Fairmount chlidren's home will be held at Meyer's lake on Tuesday, August 26. Arrangements have been completed by County Commissioner Summer and others to show the one hundred and twenty-five little ones a good time. They will arrive in Canton at 8:05 o'clock Tuesday morning, over the Pennsylvania lines and electric cars will convey them from the streets of Cairo, besides the camels, depot to the popular resort. A big there will be elephants, the largest in dinner will be served at Lake View this country, and the happy party Middlings, per 100 lbs 1 20 hotel. Addresses will be made by shown in the illustration will be seen W. H. Phelps, of Alliance, and the many times every day, and all who Rev. O. W. Holmes, of Canton.

The fourth annual reunion of the Eckroate family was held on Thursday elected president of the organization, H. R. Gilcher, of Canal Fulton, secTWO WEDDINGS.

Discovered this Week by Independent Miss Kilgore Becomes Mrs Northrop.

The marriage of Miss Celia Kilgore,

daughter of Mrs. William Kilgore,

southwest of this city, to William E. Northrop, of Cleveland, occurred at the bride's home at 8 o'clock Thursday evening. Sixty guests were present. The ceremony was performed by Mrs. Laura Taylor Gleason, of the Rev. S. K. Mahon, pastor of the march was played by Miss Daisy Holsten. The maid of honor was Miss Professor James Hervey Smith with Mary Bowers, of Braddock, Pa. The his family, of Chicago, are visiting wedding supper which followed was lanterns. The house was beautifully Miss Mary Ricks is in Cleveland, en decorated with flowers. Guests were

LACY-LYON.

The Toledo Blade of Thursday consister, Mrs. R. H. Lane, on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. The ceremony was performed by the Rev. Mr. McDonald, rector of St. Mark's Episcopal church. Only immediate rela Lyon will be at home after September 15 at 2563 Robinwood avenue.

OBITUARY.

MRS. AMELIA BOWERS.

Navarre, Aug. 22.—The death of Mrs. Amelia Bowers, aged 77 years, widow her home here Friday morning Mrs. respected residents of Navarre, having lived here for more than half a century. She was born in Galuch, Germany, coming to this country when ten years of age. Her marriage took place in 1848. She is survived by six children. Miss Elizabeth Bowers and Edward Bowers, of Navarre, Mrs. Matilda Ettinger, of Mansfield; Mrs. Sophia Morehead, of Cedar, Ia.; William Bowers, of Rock Rapids, Ia., and John Bowers, of place on Sunday at 2 o'clock from the German Lutheran church.

JAMES T. MILLER.

James T. Miller, a well known Massillon citizen, died Thursday afternoon of age. He died as the result of a cancerous growth on the side of his head going down the latter river. from which he had suffered for the past two years, being confined to his bed for over a month. Mr. Miller was married and leaves a wife and one son, Harry

REV. WILLIAM LYNCH.

News was yesterday received in this city of the death of the Rev. William

ELEPHANT PARTY.

A Novel Entertainment in Store for Massillon.

The "elephant party" is one of the novel features that will be possible during the week of the Massillon



will may be members of it.

is to Follow Their Neighbors' Advice.

Our readers have no excuse for going astray. The way is almost fenced with

Mr. John Wagner, of 30 S. Erie St. says; "Doan's Kidney Pills do all that is claimed for them and do it quickly clusion after procuring a box of the pills at Z. T. Baltzly's drug store, opposite the opera house. They cured me of backache which had bothered me for a

For sale by all dealers. Price 50c per box Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the $\mathbf{U}^{^{\prime}}(\mathbf{S})$ Remember the name, Doan's and ake no substitute.

Cures croup, sore throat, pulmonary

EXPLORING ALASKA.

Parties Traversing Hitherto Un-Known Regions.

Alaska hitherto almost unknown are being explored this summer by officers of the geological survey. The survey has received a letter from Geologist A. H. Brooks, dated at Kechtno river, gravels at an altitude of from 1,000 to 1,200 feet on the flank of mountains, while other evidences of glacial acrock in these places is igneous, car-

ern Alaska range and to reach Circle City, on the upper Yukon, before the arrival of cold weather. The distance is about 600 miles, 100 of which

was northward, partly along the beach and partly by Indian trail parfully crossed. Thence northwest. ruled, however, after a long debate. ward a well-forested foothill region, portion of the outfit was then sent by chairman. Bowers was one of the oldest and best boat to the Kechatno river, while the rest of the party went overland to meet it through a region of extensive swamps, where it was necessary to cut the trail for almost thirty miles. During this part of the trip the horses, though blanketed day and night, are reported to have been so severely bitten by horse flies and mosquitoes that it was expected that some of them would have to be shot.

across the Alaska range, partly by the trail used by Captain Herron in 1899, thence to the Tanana river and Julliard lodge. northwestward to Circle City. If the season is found to be too far advanced on reaching the Tanana, the river will at 2.30 o'clock. Mr. Miller was 57 years be descended to the Yukon, and passage will be taken on one of the boats

ness he worked at the trade of carriage his vacation, and will sail on Wednes-

after Panama canal matters. The Massillan Market

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	Bailed hay \$10)—	11
	Straw, per ton \$5 00 6	}	00
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۱	Barley		50
-	Flax seed		
İ	Wool (best medium)1	3-	20
١	Wool (fine)1	2-	-14
١	FRUITS AND VEGETABLES		
ļ	Apples6	0-	-75
1	Potatoes, (new) per bushel3	0-	-35
١	White beans	1	75
1	BUTTER, EGGS AND POULTI		
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	Spring Chickens, per lb 1	1	-12
	MEATS AND CHEESE.		
	Ham		11
	Shoulder		08
	Cheese	2	-18
, !	The following are retail prices:		
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No man can cure consumption. You can prevent it though. Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup cures coughs, colds bronchitis, sore throat. Never fails.

Massillon Mayor Boomed for Congress.

THE CONVENTION AT ALLIANCE.

It Took Hours for the Convention to Decide That it Would be Advisable to Put a Labor Union Ticket Into the Field -Nominations are Now Being Made.

Alliance, Aug. 23.—At 2:15 o'clock plore the unknown region of the West- the convention of organized labor delegates, in session here, had decided to put a labor union congressional ticket in the field. No nominations have yet been made, but there is a strong had been traversed at the date of the probability that Mayor Bernard Bell, of Massillon, can have the nomination

Many of the delegates tried to side track the labor union ticket, urging allel to the shore of the inlet. Beluga the endorsing of T. J. Duffy, of East river, a formidable stream, over Liverpool, in his Democratic candiwhich it was necessary to swim the dacy. Duffy is a national officer of horses by means of boats, was success- the Potters' Union. They were over-

Mayor Bell is present at the convenwith abundance of grass, was trav. tion as the representative of the Masersed to the Skentna river, which was sillon Trades and Labor Assembly. crossed with difficulty, owing to its Seventy-five delegates are in attendof the late John T. Bowers, occurred at low temperature and rapid current. A ance. Johnson, of Alliance, is the

MASONIC PICNIC.

The Programme for the Day Issued.

The programme for the fourth annual Masonic reunion and picnic of Stark county lodges, to be held at Meyer's lake August 27, was issued today. Music will be furnished by the Military band. Following is the programme of sports: Boat race, Masons only.

Tug of war for trophy, now held by

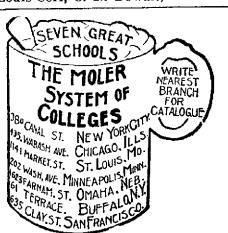
Fat man's race, 180 pounds or over. Foot race for Mason's sons under 21. Quoit pitching contest for trophy, now held by Tubal lodge.

Potato race, Mason's wives.

Foot race, Mason's daughters. Dancing afternoon and evening. Music by the Canton Orchestral club. The above contests to begin at 10 Sash Rods o'clock a. m.

Base ball game, Canton vs. Massillon, for trophy now held by Massillon. Game called at 1:30 p. m. A. H. Coleman, manager Massillon team. C. L. Hiner, manager Canton team.

The committee arranging for the picnic is composed of E. S. Reeves, president; C. F. Davidson, W. A. Bell, A. C. Eynon, J. R. Shilling, E. J. Tullis, Canton; W. E. Hemperly, A. J. Miller, Massillon; William Stover, C. R. Klein, Canal Fulton; Louis Corl, C. N. Dewalt, Louisville.



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The annual picnic of the orphans of

at Navarre. Dinner was served in the old rink. After dinner speeches were made by Amos Mase, Prof. E. D. All Massillon People Have to Do Richardson, of the Navarre schools, and others. Music was furnished by the Navarre band. Among those present from out of town were Mrs. Sarah Lowe and Mrs. Bartalot, of Chicago, the Misses Biddle, of Garrett, Ind., guide posts in Massillon. They are on Miss Mary Kerin, of Braddock, Pa., every highway and by-way. "He who Miss Lettie Cranshaw, of Pittsburg, runs may read." Investigate this ex-Miss Lottie Cranshaw, of Pittsburg, and Mrs. Burton Kittinger, of Cleveland. Otners were present from Akron, Canal Fulton, Mansfield, East Greenville, Pigeon Run and Summit. and thoroughly. I arrived at this con-In the afternoon races were held on the school grounds. The married men's race was won by Xavier Airhart; the boys' shoe race by Erbe long time. Huller. At a business meeting Emil Converse, of Massillon, was retary. The next meeting will be held at Meyer's lake on the third Thursday troubles—Monarch over pain of every sort. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil. of August, 1908.

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tion were found at an elevation of 2,000 feet above sea level. The bed ries some quartz veins and 1s supposed to be gold bearing. Mr. Brooks is at present leading an exploring party which started late in May from near the head of the Cook Inlet, on the southern coast, to ex-

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